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WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU

REGION 42 (VIRGINIA) PUBLIC SAFETY PLANNING COMMITTEES ANNOUNCE REGION 42 700 MHZ REGIONAL PLANNING MEETING AND REGION 42 800 MHZ REGIONAL PLANNING MEETING (PR DOCKET NO. 91-300)

The Region 42 (Virginia) 700 MHz Public Safety Planning Committee and Region 42 (Virginia) 800 MHz Public Safety Planning Committee announce that consecutive planning meetings will be held on Tuesday, October 1, 2002 at the Holiday Inn Hotel, Tanglewood, located at 4468 Starkey Road, Roanoke, Virginia.

The meeting of Region 42 (Virginia) 700 MHz Regional Planning Committee will convene at 10:00 a.m. The purpose of the meeting is to review the first draft of the 700 MHz plan.

The meeting of the Region 42 (Virginia) 800 MHz National Public Safety Planning Advisory Committee will convene at 1:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to review the 800 MHz spectrum use requests currently before the committee.

Both of the Region 42 Public Safety Planning Committee meetings are open to the public. All eligible public safety providers in Virginia may utilize these frequencies. It is essential that participants be representatives of all eligible public safety providers in order to ensure that your agency's future spectrum needs are considered in the allocation process. Administrators who are not oriented in the communications field should delegate someone with this knowledge to attend, participate and represent your agency's needs.

All interested parties wishing to participate in the planning for the use of new public safety spectrum in the 700 MHz band and 800 MHz band within Region 42 should plan to attend, and are welcome to participate and volunteer for committee assignments.

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